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EXAMINER:

FOR: BIAxIAL STRETCH TUBULAR FILM WITH FIVE LAYERS FOR THE PACKAGING AND COVERING OF MEAT WITH OR WITHOUT BONES ARE PASTE-LIKE FOODSTUFFS AND USE THEREOF

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97

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